

REMARKS

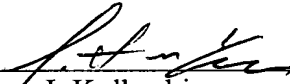
Favorable reconsideration of this Application, as presently amended and in light of the following discussion, is respectfully requested.

A Notice of Allowance was issued on October 6, 2005. During a post-Allowance review of the Application, Applicants noted a typographical error in Claim 9. Accordingly, Claim 9 has been amended to use consistent terminology throughout. No new matter has been added.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that this Amendment be entered and a Supplemental Notice of Allowance be issued.

Respectfully submitted,

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